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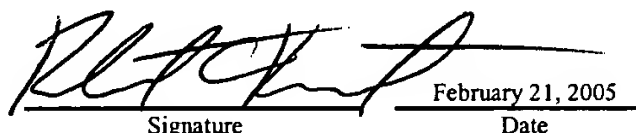
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Policing

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of November 19, 2004, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.